# **Year 7 History**

## What will be studied?

# Topic(s)

## Term I:

Romans - Students will investigate the history of the Roman Empire including its influence on Europe. Students will focus on everyday Roman life, religion and the rise and fall of the Empire.

#### Term 2:

Medieval Realms - Students will learn about the Norman Conquest and how Britain was changed by William the Conqueror. After half term they will study King John and assess what type of leader he was.

#### Term 3:

Crusades and the Mughal Empire - Students begin by studying the interaction between the Christian Crusaders and the Islamic Empires of the Middle East before studying the development of the Mughals, India's greatest empire.

## How do you assess the learning?

Students will be assessed through a combination of half-termly assessments, regular extended homework such as essays and presentations and ongoing projects.

## **End of Year Examination**

## How will I be assessed at the end of the year?

Our end of year examination is an hour long assessment in the style of their half termly tests but including all knowledge acquired across the academic year.

## How can I help my child?

## Guidance and advice

John D Clare (website), history learning site, regularly checking Smart homework, trips to museums and encouragement to read broadly around the subject.